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NOTICE OF APPEAL TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

IN RE APPLICANT OF: Brian J. Mahoney

SERIAL NO.

: 10/044,372

FILED

: January 10, 2002

TITLE

: A METHOD OF MONITORING EQUIPMENT OF AN

AGRICULTURAL MACHINE

Group/A.U.

: 3661

Conf No.

: 9324

Examiner

: Gary Chin

Docket No.

: P05454US1

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Commissioner of Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Examiner dated August 5, 2004 rejecting claims 1-14.

Applicant is a small entity under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27. The items checked below are appropriate:

- [X] A check in the amount of \$170 is enclosed.
- [X] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiencies which may be required, or credit any overpayment to peposit Account No. 50-2098.
- [X] A timely response to the final rejection has been filed on November 5, 2004 (copy of which is attached).

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[] A Petition for Extension of Time under 37 CFR 1.136(a) is enclosed.

Two additional copies of the notice are enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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Dear Sir:

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL

In response to the final office action dated August 5, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.

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